

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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Action Plan to Minimize the Road Accidents

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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any target to minimise road fatalities has been fixed;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the issues taken into consideration prior to fixing the target;
- (c) whether any suggestions have been sought from the Institutions like International Road Federations etc. in this regard; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) & (b) United Nations had promulgated the UN Decade of Action targeting to reduce road accidents by 50% by the year 2020. All member countries of the UN including India are committed to this Mission, for which this Ministry is making efforts to enhance road safety on our highways, in collaboration with the States. Besides, Ministry of Road Transport & Highways have prepared a draft action plan for Road Safety based on the guidelines issued by the United Nations under Decade of Action for Road Safety. The same has been forwarded to the State Governments with request to prepare action plan in respect of their State to improve Road Safety.

(c) No, Madam.

(d) Doesn't arise.
